



TYPICAL SCENE AT NURSERY SCHOOL



AN EASTER BUNNY is the center of attention for a group of Community Nursery School children, left to right: Kathy Brown, Diane Singerman, Billie Jo Foley, Terry Davidson, Tommy Gibson, Mary Ann Lanier, back to camera—Bobby Breescker, Bill Grimaud.

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Nursery School Observes
Second Anniversary

The Sierra Madre Community Nursery School celebrated its second birthday this week. Though there have been growing pains along the line, the Association has grown to more than double its first year's size.

The school was founded in 1947 by a small but determined group who decided to actually do something about the lack of pre-school education opportunities for the children of Sierra Madre. The original association began with a membership of 25 families. That number has now jumped to more than 60.

The founding members of the Association were Mrs. Howell White, Jr., Mrs. Peter Ward, Mrs. Dorothy Tiller, Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Goldberg, Mrs. Marion Gale, Mrs. Richard Forster, Mrs. Hugh Colvin, Mrs. Victor Veysey, Mr. and Mrs. William Krut and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Kelley.

This group drew up the charter and made preliminary plans for the organization of the Nursery School Association. After extensive search for

a director for the new school, Mrs. Marjorie Green, well-known educator and member of the board of directors of the Southern California Association for Nursery Education, was chosen to guide the new born venture.

The group sent out an appeal for help and the community answered. The Congregational Church provided housing. The Sunday School rooms of the Church are used as classrooms. The City provided a fenced playyard in the Park for nursery school use during the mornings and available to all pre-school children the rest of the time. The Lions Club provided money for an all steel gym in the park play

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SPECIAL ASSEMBLY
AND OPEN HOUSE
AT S. M. SCHOOL

The Sierra Madre Grammar School will be in readiness for an open house during next week. Displays and demonstrations will invite the attention of parents and especially Friday evening, April 29, following the program in the auditorium, all rooms will be open to visitors.

Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock will be an important assembly to many students when the semi-finals for the Oratorical Contests sponsored by the American Legion will be held. Also at the assembly winners of the American Legion-sponsored Essay Contest will be announced.

The Harter W.C.T.U. meets Thursday, April 28th at 2:00 O'clock at the home of Mrs. Valentin Ratliff, 48 East Sierra Madre Blvd.

Mrs. Barbara Hochuli will be co-hostess.

A social hour with refreshments will follow the meeting.

COUNCIL CALLS OFF RENT
DE-CONTROL HEARINGCIVIC CLUB SETS
BABY CONTEST DATES

A Tiny Tot Baby contest will be held in conjunction with the production of the play "Laff It Off," which will be presented by the Civic Club early next month.

The contest works like this: All children under six years of age are eligible. Coin jars with a picture of one contestant will be placed in business establishments throughout the downtown area. It takes one cent for each vote—the penny is dropped in the jar accompanying the picture of the favored candidate. All vote money goes to the philanthropic fund of the Civic Club.

The six contestants with the most votes, three boys and three girls, at the end of the contest are presented with loving cups. Winners will be presented on the last night of the show "Laff It Off," a home talent production under the direction of Miss Zelpha Kappin.

The contest will begin April 27 and continue through May 7. Only one contestant from a family will be accepted.

The contest is not a beauty contest, not a health contest. It is a popularity contest. For information about entering your child in this contest, contact Mrs. Marge Rizzo at Custer 5-8270.

Cancer Fund
Not Up To
S. M. Pattern

Cancer deaths in Los Angeles County alone are costing \$75,000 a day in lost earnings, productivity and purchasing power, according to Edward Mills, president of the L. A. County Branch of the American Cancer Association.

Early diagnosis and the program of research is the great aim of the Cancer Society.

The Sierra Madre Quota of \$1000 is not coming through, as the drive chairman, Mrs. Harold Pangborn, had hoped. Checks which are to be mailed in to the American Cancer Association care of City Hall are very slow.

A booth will be in front of the Bank until the drive closes April 30, for the convenience of the public. Sierra Madre is no exception. You know and I know house after house that faces tragedy in the near future.

Give for Humanity!
Give for Research!
Give for Hope!

MRS. DAVE FRANK
TRAP CHAMPION

Mrs. Dave Frank of Belle Vista Terrace is still taking trap shooting championship awards.

Early this month she won the Women's State Trapshooting Championship at a meet in El Monte, with a score of 191 out of 200.

Last week-end when she and her husband visited friends in Tucson, Ariz., she entered a contest and walked off with the Women's High Non-Resident Championship—plus second place in a handicap, shooting 95 out of 100 clay targets.

During Mrs. Frank's three-year residence in California, she has won the State Championship three times. Prior to that she claimed 13 Missouri State Women's Championship cups. Mrs. Frank just won her eighth National Women's Trapshooting Championship at a recent Eastern meet.

MAKE NO ANNOUNCEMENT
ON MEET SET FOR NEXT WEEK

BY ARTHUR HEWITT

The public this week waited on the City Council while the Councilmen fumbled with their latest hot potato—rent de-control.

Last week the councilmen set next Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. for a public hearing on the housing shortage of Sierra Madre to determine the need for further rent control here.

But subsequently Governor Earl Warren, who must pass on all recommendations for rent control, announced that rules would be established for conducting hearings and making recommendations.

He intimated that hearings held before those rules were established would be a waste of time. This was pointed out to the councilmen a week ago by City Attorney T. Guy Cornyn.

This week, however, as time passed for giving adequate notice to the long suffering public, the councilmen proved to be conveniently absent after making earlier statements to the effect that:

"We'll hold a meeting sometime—that's sure but we MAY change the date." "We'll call the meeting off." "We won't call the meeting off." "We might as well go ahead with it; the governor hasn't anything to say about it anyway."

What made the councilmen take a long think about the matter of de-control hearings was a communication from their own League of California Cities.

The League suggested that no hearings be held until the rules are formulated.

As the NEWS goes to press Wednesday afternoon word was received from City Clerk Brain to the effect that the public hearing pertaining to de-control of rental housing scheduled for April 27, 1949 had been postponed until further notice by order of the City Council.

Green Frog Champions



THE GREEN FROG BOWLING TEAM—standing, Andy Liscomb, Ed Myatt, Dick Stegner, Jim Hickerson; lower row: Capt. Joseph Murphy and Everett (Curley) Burrows representing the Sponsor Roberts Market.

The Green Frog reports that his bowling team won its third championship in as many years in the Pasadena Community Handicap League. The Frogs boast of a first and a second in the summer matches, two firsts in the more important winter tournaments, and are proud to report that last month they came in second in their class in the San Gabriel Valley Tournament. The latter represents a play-off between all the important leagues in the valley.

This is an outstanding record for the local keggers. The members of the present team are: Joe Murphy, Captain; Dick Stegner, Andy Liscomb,

Ed Myatt and Jim Hickerson. The last championship for the Community League was bitterly contested and was won by the Frogs only after winning a roll-off to sever a tie between themselves and a Pasadena team. With two teams so closely matched battling each other for the crown on the final night, gallery tension was very high, and play lasted until well after midnight.

The cup and individual trophies and prizes were awarded last week at the Pasadena Bowling Courts. The several awards received by the Frogs may be seen on display at Roberts Market.

WOMAN'S CLUB
ANNOUNCES
PRES. NOMINEES

Miss Elizabeth Steinberger has been nominated as one of the candidates for the office of president of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club, it was disclosed today.

Other nominees are: Mrs. Lloyd Wilson, first vice-president; Mrs. John Fergus, second vice-president; Mrs. Loraine Davey, recording secretary; Mrs. L. K. Snell, corresponding secretary, who declined in favor of Miss Mildred C. Bolms; Miss Clara Sykes, treasurer, and Mrs. Harry Owen, auditor.

At the club's recent meeting Mrs. M. Hickok reported on the Forty-seventh Annual Convention of the Los Angeles District, California Federation of Women's Clubs.

Public Schools Week is
Observed by the City

Judge William B. McKesson of the Superior Court will be the principal speaker at the school auditorium Friday evening, April 29, on the program which concludes the observance of Public Schools Week beginning Monday, April 25.

Judge McKesson is a speaker of rare ability and his subject will be, "The Public Schools Are Your Schools." His interest in our youth and the schools has continued over a period of several years; he was one of the organizers and original board members of the California Youth Authority.

Superintendent Charles A. Skutt has announced that posters depicting the theme, "Our

School," and made by the students of the Sierra Madre Schools, will appear in the windows of the business houses tomorrow morning and continue on display during the week when prizes have been awarded by the Masonic Lodge during the program beginning at 7:15 in the auditorium.

Essays portraying the "Value of Our Schools to Us," under the sponsorship of the local post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, are now being submitted by the students. The awards, as well as those of the oratorical contest sponsored by the Americanism Committee of the American Legion, will also be made during the program.

The observance of Public Schools Week throughout the state was originally sponsored by the Grand Lodge of Masons 30 years ago and has continued with increasing interest until its observance has become universal.

Wilson Junior High
Plans Demonstration
Program and Dance

Mrs. Philip R. Woodworth, program chairman and first vice-president of the Wilson Junior High Parent-Teachers Association, makes announcement of Public Schools Week program at Wilson, where many Sierra Madre students attend.

The observance is sponsored by the Masonic Lodge of Lamanda Park and will include a program for parents and students. The high school will hold open house with demonstrations in each room Thursday evening, April 28th, starting at 7 o'clock. At 8:30 a program will be given across the street at Willard Auditorium when the Wilson Band will be heard and Willard E. Goslin, the recently new superintendent, will speak on "Some Next Steps in Education."

The program is for parents only, during which time a free dance will be sponsored for the students to be held in the boys' gym. Refreshments will be served following the program and dance.

REST AT HERMOSA

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Koch who have not been in good health left this week for an extended stay at Hermosa Beach at their son's apartment.

Around
the Square

For the sake of Easter appetites, we saved this until AFTER Easter:

Bill Burr, formerly of Sierra Madre, is living in Manila. On the "Islands" they have a custom of celebrating Easter with duck eggs that have been carefully tended until ready to hatch. They are then hard boiled for Easter breakfast.

As a gesture of good will, Burr sent an egg via Laura Cadmus Bizotte, each to Rollin Lewis, Banker Lewis, that is, Harry Lange and Carl Hansen. Rol was the only one to break into his. He doesn't want to appear old fashioned, but he says he'll stick to our own customs.

Dr. Clarence V. Clemmer of 900 West Orange Grove avenue is looking for the owner of a motor powered model airplane. It flew into his yard and made a perfect three-point landing.

It doesn't belong to anyone of the neighborhood. He wants to get rid of it before he too becomes a model airplane enthusiast.

Mrs. Harwick of 234 N. Lima street has bees in her chimney, poor gal. They made a terrific noise. Officers Jim Heasley and Hy Embree took on the job of quieting the bees. The bees are still buzzing.

Their report: "Noise like bees making honey."

Mrs. Harwick is still wondering what to do.

Wistaria Queen Jackie Thurston was the model for the Easter picture printed in the NEWS last week. The picture also appeared in more than 100 papers throughout Southern California. The Long Beach Press-Telegram used it as its pre-Easter editorial page art. The picture's reception is a tribute to Photographer Hank Hoag, top rank commercial artist of Pasadena, who snapped it at the vine.

M.C.B.'s dog, Michael of wool and drool, is in the news again. The local constabulary received a message by pony express from Indio radio station KREO which said that a dog with a Sierra Madre licence was hanging around the station grounds—presumably a lost dog.

The information was relayed back that Michael and the cats couldn't get along. So to save the dog from decimation at the hands of the cats, he had been given to a man who lives near the radio station—so it's all legal except that Michael will now have to get an Indio tag.

Don't think for a minute that the Planning Commission-City Council feud is over. The cover's on the pot, but it's brewing and ready to blow out again. The only thing is that the councilmen think that THIS time they'll be able to cover their tracks and keep the shake-up all secret as it was supposed to be in the first place.

Don't forget to attend the Wistaria Dance at the Woman's Clubhouse next Saturday.

Last week at the school it was play week. The kids went there for play and found it a lot more fun than school. Responsible for it were Mrs. Jane Morris, Sam McElfresh and Al Morgan. Mrs. Morris and McElfresh spent every day during the week on the project—keeping track of 742 kids. And that's a big job for anybody. Charlie Skutt stayed around, too. Maybe to see that the building stayed around.

Wistaria Ball Staged For
Next Saturday EveningPast Masters Dinner
To be Held in Duarte

Several from Sierra Madre will attend the dinner for the Past Masters of Lodges of the 93rd Masonic District at Yve's French Restaurant, Huntington at Highland Avenue, Duarte, Wednesday, May 4.

The 93rd District comprises lodges at Sierra Madre, El Monte, Arcadia, Rosemead, Monrovia and Azusa. Mr. Yve is an officer of the French Lodge at Los Angeles.

SAN GABRIEL MAN
KIWANIS SPEAKER

The Kiwanis program Tuesday was purely a club affair when Amos DuBois of San Gabriel gave observations on the importance of attendance and inter-club relations. Mr. DuBois is a past lieutenant-governor of Kiwanis, Division No. 10, and his home club at San Gabriel holds an enviable attendance record.

The Woman's Clubhouse will become an outdoor garden for the Wistaria Dance next Saturday night. The decorations, which will transform the Clubhouse into a replica of the Wistaria Gardens, will be the most impressive ever attempted by the club, said Mrs. Loyd.

The Wistaria Ball will be broadcast over radio station KAGH. Carl Green, will be master of ceremonies for the event.

Wilson, chairman of arrangements for the dance.

The Woman's Club, one of the sponsors of the Wistaria vine, will present Wistaria Queen Jackie Thurston and the princesses of her court, Connie Dillon, Jackie Kinney, Diane Ferris and Nancy Springer.

The dining room of the Clubhouse will be decorated as a garden terrace. Corsages of roses and carnations will be given every woman attending the dance, Mrs. Wilson said.

The event will begin at 9 p.m. with Bob Abbey and his

seven-piece dance orchestra furnishing the music.

All members of the Woman's Club are acting as committeemen for the dance, and several special committees have been set up.

The general arrangements committee, headed by Mrs. Wilson, consists of Mrs. Isabel Hill, Mrs. Gretchen Newberry, Mrs. Mildred Freeman and Mrs. Gertrude Brown. Members of the refreshment committee are Mrs. John Fergus, Mrs. Elsie McGeary and Miss Elizabeth Steinberger. Miss Clara Sykes is in charge of ticket sales.

Representatives of organizations sponsoring the Wistaria Vine for 1949 will be on the reception line to greet guests at the dance. Representing the Chamber of Commerce will be Mr. and Mrs. Al Morgan. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bonn and Mrs. Loyd Wilson will represent the Woman's Club. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoover will appear for the Civic Club, and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Pratt will represent the Wistaria Vine Gardens.

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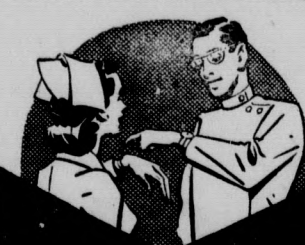
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NOT TOO HIGH
FOR ECONOMY

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Seventh Annual Student Conference Opens Friday

The Seventh Annual Sierra Madre Student Conference will be held this week in the Sierra Madre Congregational Church Friday, Saturday and Sunday.



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The theme of the Conference is "Christian Life Work" and will be led by Dr. George Johnson, of Hartford Theological Seminary, Dr. Daniel Williams, of the Chicago Theological Seminary, Dr. Harland Hogue, Professor of Religion at Scripps College, and Reverend George Jenkins of the Congregational Church.

Students will be housed and entertained in the homes of the Parish and will be in session throughout the three days. The formal sessions of the Conference will conclude in a Communion Service and Installation of the newly elected officers Saturday evening. The Sunday morning worship service will be in charge of the local minister Rev. Carl Smith, with Dr. Daniel Williams as guest speaker. The public is cordially invited to hear Dr. Williams speaking from the subject "New Life for Old."

POLICE BLOTTER

Dog bite. Canine impounded. . . Found keys, stolen bicycle, hole in the road, someone trying to get into the house! . . . Woman reported that when her husband drove away in the car he failed to realize that the little daughter's sandals were on the running board. . . Bees going in and out of the Herwick chimney would indicate honey making. Could it be possible that we may hear of soot honey? . . . Chunn and Gotcher act as peace-makers in a family quarrel. . . Lost purse! Dog bite! . . . She objected to the neighbor's dog coming into her yard and annoying her cat. Meow-ow-ow. . . Injured cat.

Since the episode of the youth who entered houses while residents were out, there is little chance of a salesman working without being questioned by the police. Even the Fuller Brush man is under suspicion until checked. Under the influence of too many beers and in search of his wife in a public place was sufficient reason to have the fellow looked after. He was making loud inquiries. . . Suspicious men in a car. Chunn and "Tex" Gotcher pick 'em up. . . Vacation time with its complaints about children. Included in the complaints were rock throwing, stolen scooters, and broken windows. (Perhaps we are much better off when busy? Perhaps.)

Even tho' there may be other legal parking places, there are still drivers who will drive directly across a newly painted red marking and leave the car. Recently one of these drivers hailed the police on duty as a long lost friend. You are not being kindly to a cop when you violate a traffic rule or a parking rule. Police do not make the regulations, they are called upon to enforce them for YOUR benefit. Why expect to be an exception to a rule? Loud party! That is almost a lost issue. . . Several citations are being issued for violations of parking rules and other traffic offenses. There is really no excuse for drivers to commit these violations and then expect to be unnoticed. Even tho' the police may not be in the location to observe, there are usually others who are inconvenienced or endangered by careless driving.

Boys throwing rocks, etc. "No people were ever better than their laws, though many have been worse."—Priestly. . . Here are a few definitions that may help: Alibi—An excuse that's cooked up, but is only half baked. "Careful Driver"—The fellow who has made the last payment on his car—or he is the fellow who can wear out a car without the help of a railroad engine and a crossing. It has also been rumored that there is no such thing as a "cheap" politician. . . "So he is a reckless driver?" "Say, when the road turns the same way as he does, it's just a coincidence."

Tom Neale, former judge of Sierra Madre, had just made a request for a purchase. "Sorry, sir, but I'm all out of wild ducks. I could let you have a fine end of ham." "Don't kid me. How could I go home and say I shot an end of ham?"

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THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1949

ACTION OF COUNCIL

The City Council at its meeting last week took the following action:

1. Took under consideration a request of the Fire Department that Fred LaLone be named as a patrolman for the mountain area during the dry season.

2. Received notification that the state would refund \$672.27 in premiums from the employees compensation insurance fund because "of savings the direct result of on-the-job accident prevention" which have lowered insurance costs in the city.

3. Referred to the Chief of Police for study the application of Roy G. Farmer for an off-sale liquor license at 444 Sturtevant drive.

4. Appointed as city engineer L. F. Pack of Pasadena. William V. Tayc, assistant city engineer, will be director of public works, but Pack was named as the responsible licensed engineer to meet state requirements pending the licensing of Tayc.

5. Decided that cost of rehabilitating the Park House will not be as expensive as earlier thought, "because the dry rot is not as bad as estimated." So the city will spend \$45 to save there to paint the building's nurse's room.

6. Requested the water master of the east Raymond Basin to find some city that would sell Sierra Madre 300 acre feet of water inasmuch as Sierra Madre is already 623 acre feet overdrawn and will be from 800 to 850 acre feet short by the end of the year.

7. Set May 10 for protests under the weed abatement ordinance. Tayc will notify property owners when weeds must be removed. If the deadline is not met, the city will remove them and charge the owner.

8. Announced that the city engineer is now working on an ordinance which would allow residents and businesses facing on the sewer trunk line to make connections. The work should be completed in 60 days.

9. Received a letter from the Edison company regarding the long awaited street light survey which has long been delayed. The utility company said that the only man on the company's payroll who can do the job "has been busy elsewhere" but that the job will be completed with the "least possible delay."

10. Granted the recreation commission permission to operate the canyon swimming pool next summer. At the same time the Council authorized repair of the pool locker rooms at a cost of \$410.

Holly Trail Project Shoved Back at Canyon Residents

Residents of Holly Trail in the Canyon area last week were told that "the next move is up to you."

The Council received a report from Engineer William V. Tayc which outlined four possibilities for opening the Trail and making it accessible.

He said that the city could: 1. Maintain it in its present condition; 2. Build a stairway from the Trail to Vista Circle drive at the expense of the property owners; 3. Open the trail to Woodland trail near lot 141, or 5. Go all out and widen, pave and improve the right of way at the expense of property owners on the Trail.

Tayc was ordered to check with the property owners to find out if they wanted any one of these municipal services done at their expense.

VFW Installation at Temple Attracts Outside Guests

The joint installation of the Veterans of Foreign Wars local Post 3208 and Auxiliary was a very impressive evening at the Masonic Temple April 13.

J. J. Blough, Sixth District Commander installed the new officers of the post and Marie Slocum with the famous District uniformed team gave the work for the auxiliary. The presiding officer in charge of installation was Myrtle Watkins. Carl Collum was installed Comdr. and Mrs. Virginia Smith, president. Several groups and organizations were presented and honored.

The refreshments planned by Mrs. Juliette de la Torre and Mrs. Marion Eyre were served in buffet style. The decorations were of Spring flowers.

NAZARENE ELECTION

The annual election of officers of the Nazarene Women's Foreign Missionary Society will take place this evening at 7:30, (April 21) at the home of Mrs. Paul Fowler, 270 West Sierra Madre Blvd.

MUSIC MEMBERS

Mrs. Alice Sedgman, 34 N. Hermosa, will entertain the Music Section members of the Friendship Club, this afternoon at 2:30.

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The motorist's vision is impaired and the streets are made even narrower when this condition is allowed to continue.

The co-operation of each and every property owner is requested for safety's sake, to take a look at the road side of his property, and to trim back any portion of the shrubs extending into the roadway or those blocking the view at corners and intersections. It is also requested that they check for branches extending onto the sidewalks and that corrective measures be taken to prevent possible injury to pedestrians.

WILLIAM V. TAYC, Director of Public Works.

Wins Contest as Student of French

Miss Barbara Joan Stunden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stunden, 419 West Grandview, recently won a contest, conducted by the American Association of Teachers of French, consisting of tests of dictation and ability to comprehend written French while maintaining knowledge of French vocabulary and grammatical usage, the Language department of Pasadena City College announced.

Barbara is a Lower Division student at Pasadena City College in the 11-2 grade. She

RETURNS TO KENTUCKY

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt M. Williams, 310 East Highland, bid farewell to their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Pickens, who left Sunday for their home in Louisville, Kentucky. Last week Mr. and Mrs. Williams entertained their guests with a trip to Coronado, San Diego and Mexico.

graduated from Wilson Junior High School last June.

Miss Stunden is a member of the Student Christian Association at PCC and also participates in Whip activities as a drill team member.

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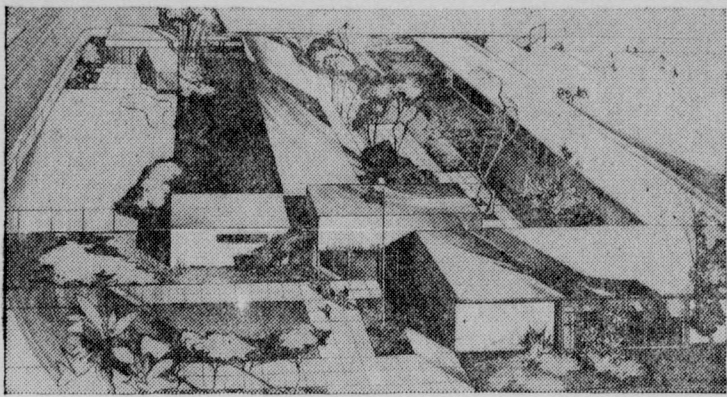
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Nine of the seventeen prizes at the recent American Institute of Architects' national convention were awarded to Californians, and the Corona Del Mar School designed by Los Angeles architects Marsh, Smith & Powell was adjudged finest of all schools built since the war.

LEGION AUXILIARY INITIATION HELD AT QUITTNER HOME

With impressive candle light ceremonies, nine members of the American Legion Auxiliary were initiated into the Unit at the home of Sylvia Quittner, Thursday evening. Initiation Officer, Leila Roberts, was assisted by Past-Presidents of the Unit. Music was furnished by Mrs. Frank Seager and Mrs. Quittner.

Members voted to send a \$5the Wistaria Vine Gardens.

gift to the Childrens Hospital in memory of little Kathy Fiscus and \$5 to the Rescue fund. The next meeting will be held at the home of Nell Vierra, 487 Woodland Dr., April 28th at 8 o'clock.

HERE FOR SUNRISE

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hott of Los Angeles, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Bridwell of 141 Esperanza and attended the Sunrise Service at

FIRE FLAMES

Boasting is a sort of crude method of crowing about accomplishments, however, Sierra Madre has much to be proud of when it comes to low fire losses. The number of fires has been almost negligible within the past several years. This is not all due to the carefulness of all merchants but to those who are careful and tidy about their places of business. The fire department sincerely asks those who have hazardous conditions to immediately clean up and avoid fire. Immaculate premises are not only safer places, but a lot more inviting to customers. Forty-three percent of all establishments that are closed due to fire, never re-open. This means a great loss to owners as well as employees.

Clean out all refuse that has gathered in the cellar, behind counters, or in the shipping rooms. Clear away old tires, and other materials that accumulate around the garage floor. These are particularly dangerous. Once a fire gets started with such a building, the difficulty encountered by the firefighters is extreme.

Aisles and entrances should be kept clear for immediate exit. Woodwork and walls near steam pipes or heater exhausts should be heavily insulated. Check all electric wiring. (Best see an expert on this.) Insist that smoking regulations be obeyed and do not permit smoking in rooms where inflammable materials are stored.

Sprinkler systems are well worth while and if installed, should not be neglected. See that sprinkler heads are not corroded and are not obstructed by cartons or merchandise. The Chief will be glad to furnish guides in form style to aid in a shop check-up. You are welcome to call for them.

And now, since Lewis George is his father-in-law's partner at the Richfield Service Station, Bobby Clark and a few of the boys in the vicinity of the fire station must hurry to get there 'afore 'im. Lewie can run and is very young, so this, with long legs, makes him a valuable asset to the fire department. Besides that, he is well liked by all the fire fighters because of his interest and loyalty.

Hubert Kelly was initiated into the realm of Auxiliary Fire Fighters last meeting night. He was also introduced to some of the fire fighters' amusement and left for home in a very happy mood, we hope.

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Wm. L. Seitz Becomes Member of Local Masonic Lodge

William L. Seitz known to many as a famous football player and now of the Pacific Rock & Gravel Co., received his Third Degree last week and became a Master Mason of the local Lodge No. 408, F. and A. M.

He was presented with an engraved Masonic Bible by friends during the ceremony. Several distinguished Masons were present for the evening including A. I. Mellenthin, vice-president of the Bank of America, Los Angeles; Horace Goodrich and John Rogers, also Carleton Rogers of Phoenix, Arizona.

Local Racer Sails For England

Charles L. (Pewee) Cullum of 56 East Sierra Madre boulevard sailed recently on the Mauretania for six months' racing season in England. Mr. Cullum, a well known motorcycle racer holding a championship won at the Lincoln Stadium, will race this season at the Bellevue Speedway, Manchester, England.

He was accompanied by Wilbur (Lammy) Lamoreaux, who will race at another world-famous English track, Mrs. Lamoreaux and daughter accompanied her husband.

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Community Calendar

Thursday, April 21
Lions Club—Woman's Clubhouse, 7 p. m.

Friday, April 22
Santa Anita Gun Club—City Hall Basement, 7:30 p. m.
Auxiliary of Church of Ascension, Parish House, 2:30 p. m.
Square Dance—Pritchard Hall, Junior Hi and Teen Age, 7:30 to 10 p. m.

Monday, April 25
Eastern Star Social Club—8 p. m.
Chest Clinic—Park House, 2:30 to 4 p. m.
Recreational Program—Park House, 7 to 9 p. m.
National Guard—City Hall Basement, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday, April 26
Masonic Lodge—Masonic Temple, 7:30 p. m.
Kiwanis Club—Woman's Clubhouse, 12:10 noon.
Hebrew Classes and Contemporary Discussion Group—Jewish Temple, 8 p. m.
John Ruskin Chapter of DBE—10:30 to 3:30 p. m.
Consero—8 p. m.
City Council—City Hall, 8 p. m.

Wednesday, April 27
VFW Post 3208—Old Adobe, 8 p. m.
Woman's Club—Woman's Clubhouse, 2 p. m.
Square Dance—Grammar School, Adults, 8:30 to 11 p. m.
Recreational Program—Park House, 7 to 9 p. m.
Baby Clinic—Park House, 12:30 to 4 p. m.
Craft Classes—Woman's Clubhouse, 9 to 12 a. m.

Thursday, April 28
American Legion Auxiliary, 8 p. m.
Lions Club—Woman's Clubhouse, 7 p. m.
Civic Club—Park House, 8 p. m.
Chamber of Commerce Luncheon—12:10 noon.
Planning Commission Meeting—City Hall, 8 p. m.

Sierra Madre Lodge
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Forthcoming Events
APRIL 23—Saturday, Square Dance
APRIL 29—Friday, Public Schools

Stated Meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month

At the Temple
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Harold F. Roberts, Master

Indian Children to Visit City

Twenty Indian children will again visit Southern California homes this summer, under the American Friends Indian Child Visitation Project. Two Sierra Madre families were hosts to two little visiting Indian children under last year's program.

The plans for this summer's visits and the values of this project will be brought out at the program meeting of the Civic Club next Thursday (April 28) at the Park House. Charles L. McEvers, Secretary of American Indian work for the Friends Service Committee will be the speaker.

Last summer 10 Navajo and 10 Hopi children were brought to Southern California for vacation periods of two weeks in private homes. The 10 Navajo children came from the general Fort Defiance area; the Hopi children came from the village of Moencopie. The host homes were carefully selected and each home was visited by the committee here before the agreement was made for the Indian child's visit.

The Indian children were carefully chosen also, and each child was placed in the home where it was felt the most compatible relationship would exist. Physical examinations were given the children two months before the visit and again within three days before departure.

"Values derived from a program of this sort are, of course, quite intangible," McEvers said, "and therefore difficult to enumerate."

"The purpose of the program was the introduction of a deeper understanding and friendship between the Navajo and Hopi and the Southern California families. The natural association in family and community life brings this understanding and friendship."

The program last year was very successful, he said, from both the standpoint of the host homes and the visiting Indian children.

Host families thoroughly enjoyed the visits, McEvers said, and typical comments were "We felt that the visiting children were a part of our family after one week and we hated to see them depart."

One Indian mother in Fort Defiance had some weeks ago already decided which one of her children she would like to have make the trip, McEvers said, even though no mention of the repetition of the program had been made.

"Committee members on the reservations tell us that the absence of any criticism of the program is sufficient indication of acceptance and approval—and that if any dissatisfaction existed it certainly would be made known," he said.

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Scoutin' Around WITH BERT EMBREE

ATTENTION

When you Scouts and Scouters are on various hikes and trips, take notice of any abandoned wells or caves that might, in the least way, be dangerous for other hikers or children. If you see any such dangers don't hesitate to report it immediately to the local authorities. You may save the life of a friend by doing so.

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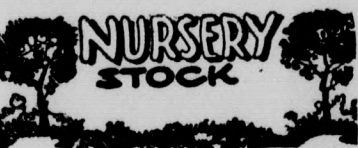
I had a "sneak-preview" of the Camporee plans for Troop Four, and as a little warning to other troops that hope to compete against them, the Ascension group has a "live-wire" program planned for the weekend. Watch out, or they might cop top honors from you.

"TUFF JUDGES"

Competition will be very keen between troops at the Annual Camporee, May 21 and 22, as the judges will be strict and impartial, being that the troops are very active in their plans for their Scout displays. That is the basic idea of the outing, to show off skills, work, and ideals of Scouting to the public. So come out and see what the organization is doing for your sons, or the sons of your friends.

WASHDOWN DUE

Another activity undertaken by Troop Four is to clean and repaint the Scout Monument in the park. After a year's time it has gotten tarnished and soiled.



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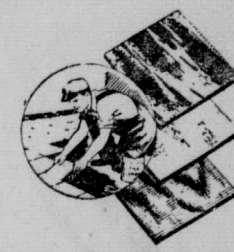
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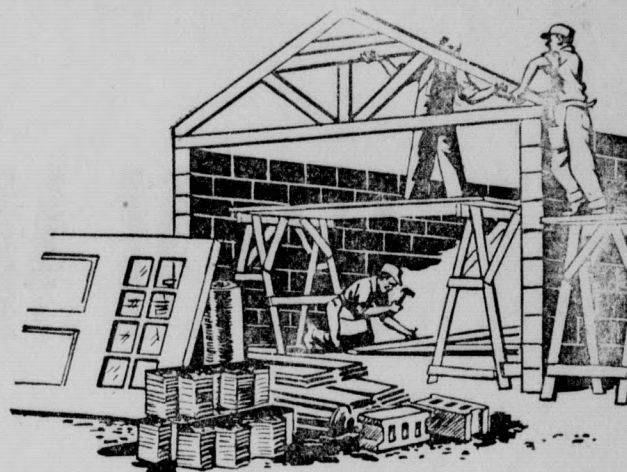
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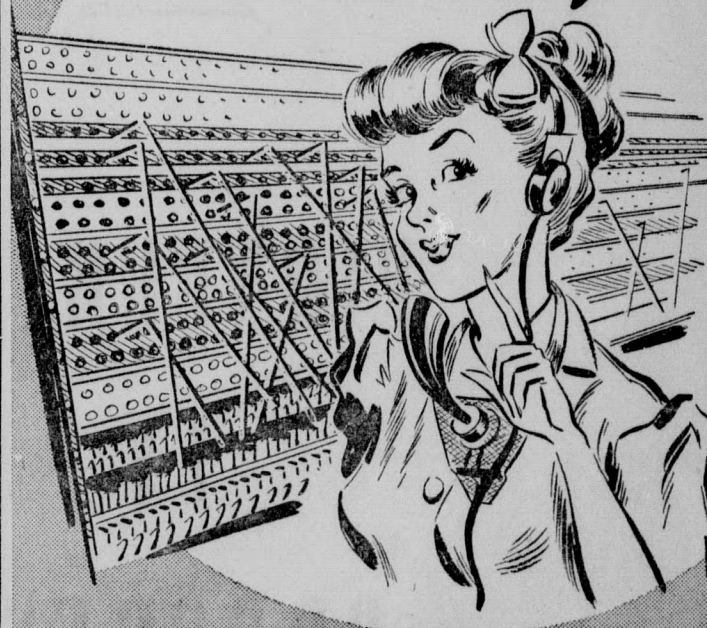
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OTHER RESOURCES.....	3,357.85
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UNDIVIDED PROFITS.....	50,577.47
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• Through hard work and co-operation between the Association and the community the school has more than doubled and has become a venture watched by educators all over the country.

• The Nursery School is an educational program—not the custodial care of children. More learning takes place during the first five years of life than during any other period. It is during these all-important first five years that basic patterns and habits are formed for a whole lifetime.

• The Nursery School program gives the child an opportunity to live and learn with adults and other children and to learn about the world around him. It gives him a foundation of experiences that enrich his whole life.

• We congratulate the Sierra Madre Nursery School Association for making these opportunities possible for every child—regardless of race, religion or family circumstances.

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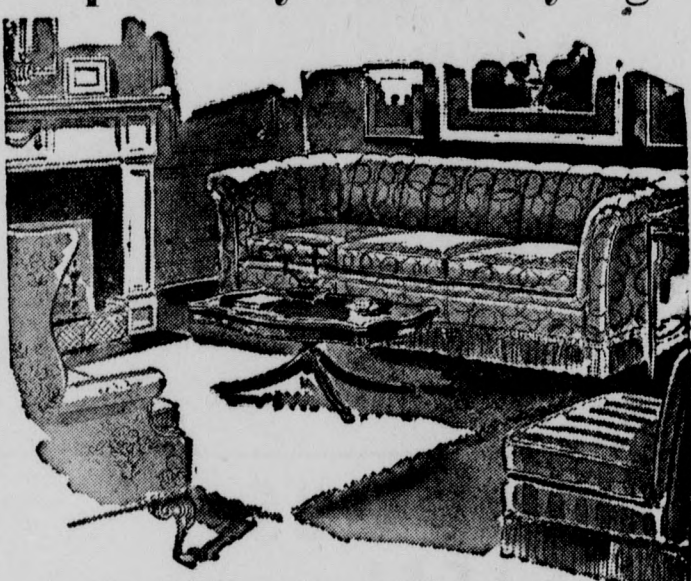
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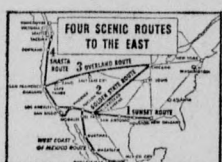
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PAUL REVERE RIDE ENACTED TUESDAY IN FOOTHILLS

Paul Revere rode into Sierra Madre last Tuesday, Patriot's Day, reared up his horse, and presented to Mayor Milton Steinberger a proclamation calling to arms all loyal Americans.

The proclamation called upon all Americans to bestir themselves and stated that the priceless heritage of freedom is under attack.

The ride of the modern Paul Revere was sponsored by the Pasadena Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution of Southern California, of which Col. Walter Thurber is the newly elected president.

LIONS TO LEARN WHAT IS JATO?

At Lions Club meeting to-night Robert Tripp of Aerojet Corporation of Azusa will speak and show movies on jet propulsion and the use of JATO.

JATO, we were informed by Program Chairman Al Morgan's young daughter, Nancy, means Jet Asset Take Off.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE WATER

Application 12888
Notice is hereby given, that City of Sierra Madre, Sierra Madre, California has under the date of December 31, 1948, applied to the Department of Public Works, State Engineer, for a permit to appropriate unappropriated water, subject to existing rights.

Description of Project
Water to be appropriated from Santa Anita Canyon tributary to Santa Anita Wash, Rio Hondo River thence Los Angeles River, County of Los Angeles. Amount applied for: 1500 acre-feet per annum (maximum rate of diversion to spreading ground is 30 cubic feet per second).

Diversion season named: January 1 to December 31 of each year.

Water to be used for municipal purposes.

Point of diversion within SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 10, T 1 N, R 11 W, SBB&M.

Place of use described: Within City of Sierra Madre as shown on map filed with State Engineer.

Relative to Protests
Blanks upon which to submit protests will be supplied free upon request.

Any person desiring to protest the granting of such permit shall within 60 days from date hereof file with the Department of Public Works, State Engineer, Sacramento, California, a written protest. Such protest shall clearly set forth the protestant's objections to the granting of the application and shall contain the following information:

- (1) Statement of the injury which would result to protestant from such appropriation and use.
- (2) The basis of protestant's water right.
- (3) Protestant's past and present use of water both as to amount used and land irrigated, or use made of water if other than irrigation.
- (4) The approximate location of protestant's land or place of use and point of diversion of the water.

A copy of the protest should be sent to the applicant and this office notified that the same has been done.

Department of Public Works.
By Edward Hyatt,
State Engineer.

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Dated: Sacramento, California.
April 4, 1949.
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Kiddies Revel in Easter Party by Fire Fighters

Six hundred or more children of Sierra Madre enjoyed the Easter Egg Hunt with its games at the City Park last Saturday, April 16th. The men of the Fire Department filled 600 bags with fresh Easter candy and colored four cases of eggs for the occasion. Beginning at two o'clock, the children were permitted to search the bushes, trees and deep grass for eggs, among which were twelve golden ones, each worth a special prize.

The lucky youngsters to find the golden eggs were Steven Appleford, Walter Clardy, Gary Pickett, Gary Cass, Jack Ower, (2). Steven Rhodes, Robert Orf, Jim Domingus, Jim Kelleher, Ronald Kunhiro and Joan Bush. Each finder of a golden egg was presented with a specially prepared Easter Basket. First and second prizes were given to the winners of egg races. In the two years and under class, Jimmie Doughty was the winner of two silver dollars and Gwenn Pennington one silver dollar.

In the girls race ages ranging from two to four, Rebecca Ronee won two silver dollars and Mary Malony one silver dollar. In the same class with boys as contestants Billy Chunn won two dollars and Dick List won one. Ages four to six in the girls contest was won by Linda Willis as first and Lydia Velan second. Boys of the same age was won by Tommy Leppard and second by Dickey Morgan. Girls six to seven was won by Carmelita Garcia, with Jackie Dunning taking second place. The boys race of this age class was won by Mike Weston, with Jan Hoover placing.

Dianne Dammeyer came in first for two silver dollars in the eight to nine class with Lorraine Blumenstock placing for one dollar. The boys, Clifford Moffet came in the winner for two silver dollars with Douglas Peterson as a close second. Going into the ten to eleven strata, Janet Peterson was the winner over Madeline Morrage who come second. The boys of this age displayed ability and after a close race, Leland Smith beat Marcus Woodward by a nose.

Following the races, bags of candy were passed out to those who waited. This Easter event has been a custom sponsored affair of the local fire Department for enough years to make it traditional. Funds for the occasion are built up in the Fire Department's Annual Christmas ticket selling campaign.

Nordgren to Coach Legion Ball Team

American Legion Athletic Director Norman Jensen has provided some interesting data on the background of the coach selected for the Junior League Baseball Team which the Post is sponsoring.

Harold (Swede) Nordgren lives at 712 Brookside Lane and is a salesman with the Sierra Madre Hardware. Mr. Nordgren, at the age of 16, played left field for Vernon; he was shortstop one year with the Los Angeles Angels; shortstop a year at Portland; first baseman a year at Oakland; played a year at Arizona State; California Professional Winter League 6 years. Mr. Nordgren's active participation in baseball was handicapped by his service in the war which dated from April, 1941, to November, 1945.

The local team is well along in completing its quota of players but the management states that there is still time and opportunity for a few 16- and 17-year-old boys to sign up.

The schedule for the season will be made up by May first and all boys wishing to be members of the Junior League Team must be registered shortly. It is considered by baseball enthusiasts to be an exceptional opportunity to take advantage of this local training.

MISS HARVEY ENTERTAINS FOR BRIDE-ELECT

Miss Beth Harvey was hostess at the Gregor home on San Gabriel Court for a bridal shower for Jean Vieira Monday evening. Twenty guests from Sierra Madre and Mrs. Raymond Bannard and Mrs. Stewart Frederick of Pasadena were invited.

Miss Vieira will become the bride of Reginald Doughty Saturday afternoon in a church service at Bethany.

Many Attend Christian Endeavor Convention

Bethany Church is sending 100 delegates from their three Christian Endeavor Societies to the 57th Annual Christian Endeavor Convention at the Long Beach Municipal Auditorium, April 29, 30 and May 1.

Among entertainers will be Marleen and Marjorie Scoville, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. Scoville, 272 West Grandview.

SHOWER AT FALLER HOME

Lois Faller, 55 Olive, gave a personal shower with an Easter theme last week for Barbara Scofield of Arcadia. The 18 guests were former Monrovia High School friends. Sierra Madreams included Marvel Roberts and Mrs. Richard Nickels, the former Phyllis Jean Lentz.

ROBERT NEWBERY ON LEAVE

BM-2 Robert Newbery Jr. is spending a 50-day leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Newbery, 435 East Grandview.

This is his first Easter at home in six years. After his leave, he will report at Terminal Island for reassignment.

Robert has been stationed in and out of Guam for the past 18 months.

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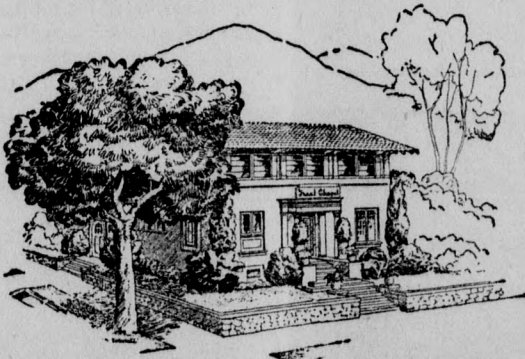
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PTA Meeting Today In Cafeteria

This afternoon, April 21, PTA will meet in the School Cafeteria at 2:15. The meeting has been called at an earlier time than formerly announced.

Mrs. Marjorie Green, Director of the Sierra Madre Community Nursery School, will speak on "The Place of a Nursery School in the Community." Mrs. C. W. Gardner, Motion Picture Chairman of the 1st District of the California Congress of Parents and Teachers, will discuss ways of obtaining recommended children's pictures for local showing.

Mrs. Elsie Higgins and the four first grade teachers are co-operating in presenting the first graders in a group of songs and pantomimes of nursery rhymes.

The first grade mothers will be hostesses for the social time following.



COMEDY ROLES—Juan Canito, cantankerous overseer of the Camulos Rancho, and Marda, aged servant of the rancho, are comedy roles portrayed by C. Jay Nichols of Hemet and Polly Chase Seares of San Jacinto, shown above in interesting scene highlighting the famed Ramona Outdoor Play which opens for 22nd season this month at Ramona Bowl near Hemet. This will be the second season that both have appeared in these same roles. Mrs. Seares is a daughter of late Charley Chase, early film star and director. Last year's production of Ramona Play broke all attendance records when 29,204 spectators witnessed the six performances. This season's playing dates will be Saturday and Sunday afternoons only, April 23 and 24, April 30 and May 1, and May 7 and 8.

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Violinist Zino Francescatti plays Saint-Saens' "Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso," and works by Wieniawski and Rimsky-Korsakov.

SATURDAY, APRIL 23
(3:30-4:30 PM KFI) Haydn's "Symphony No. 103 in E Flat," Gould's "Spirituals for Orchestra" and Perner's "Divertissement on a Pastoral Theme" are chosen by Milton Katims for his final concert with the NBC Symphony.

(4:30-5:30 PM KFI) Alessandro conducting the Oklahoma Symphony in Beethoven's "Egmont Overture," Bach's "Brandenburg Concerto No. 3 in G," Strauss' "Rosenkavalier Waltzes" and Hindemith's overture to the ballet, "Cupid and Psyche."

SUNDAY, APRIL 24
(6:15-6:45 AM KNX) E. Power Biggs, organist, features music of Handel and Mendelssohn.

(12 noon-1:30 PM KNX) Stokowski conducts the New York Philharmonic Symphony in works by Brahms, Wagner and Sibelius' "Pelleas and Melisande."

(1:30-2 PM KECA) Milton Cross' recorded "Opera Album" features records and fine explanatory comment by Cross.

(8:30-9:30 PM KFI) Standard Hour.

MONDAY, APRIL 25
(9:30-10:30 PM KFI) Zino Francescatti, violinist, on the Telephone Hour, playing Rimsky-Korsakov's "Hymn to the Sun," Wieniawski's "Caprice in A Minor" and a Saint-Saens selection. Orchestra plays music of Delibes and Moussorgsky.

LETTER TO EDITOR

Ed's. Note: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson write while on 20th trip to New York and admit they are "The Ramblers."

Louisville, Ky.
Dear Friends:

Guess you folks all wonder, just where we are. We have had a wonderful trip so far. Just missed the cyclone in Arkansas by 60 miles, we passed through there the next morning, took some pictures of the wrecked homes—pitiful.

We spent a week at Hot Springs, Ark., took out fishing license and caught some nice bass and blue fish in Lake Hamilton. The scenery through Arkansas, Tennessee and Kentucky is just beyond words, all fruit trees in blossom. Been seeing interesting places, the Daniel Boone monument, several famous Kentucky horse farms, Churchill Downs (horses already there for the Derby), largest tobacco auction warehouse in the world, acres of bonding warehouses.

We are waiting to catch up on mail and will go on to Ohio, Long Island, New Hampshire, Montreal, etc. We have our little dog and Bob Tail cat. The weather has been good, some electric storms, roads fair, Gas averages 29 and 30 cents. This makes our 20th round trip from Sierra Madre to New York over a period of 40 years and according to my wife the last. We will arrive in Sierra Madre about July 1st, rest up and leave for Washington.

Hello to all our inquiring friends.

Your Friends,
Ethel and Tom Henderson.

AUBURN GUEST HERE: RENEWES ACQUAINTANCE

Mrs. Birdie Whiteley of Auburn, California, was a guest last week of Mrs. A. H. Embree, 535 North Auburn. Mrs. Whiteley, who formerly lived in Sierra Madre on South Baldwin, was here to attend the American Legion Auxiliary initiation. On Easter Sunday Mrs. Embree spent part of the day with her father, Hal H. Egbert, a patient at the Little Flower Sanitarium in Los Angeles.

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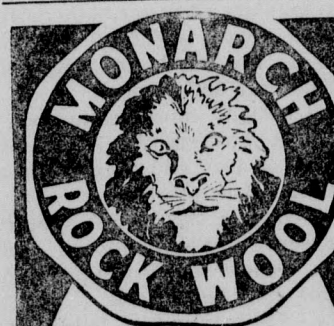
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Spring Play Week All 'Round Success

The first Spring Vacation recreation program held last week was a success in every way, reported Recreation Director Sam McElfresh. The Spring Vacation Play Week was held on the grounds of the Elementary School under the sponsorship of the Recreation Commission, with the assistance of the P.T.A. and School Superintendent Charles Skutt.

The program was carried out at nominal cost, said Al Morgan, Recreation Commission chairman. The total program costs were \$210, which indicated a cost of about 30 cents per child for the five-day program, or about 6 cents per day per child.

Almost 750 children attended during the five days of supervised activity. Craft classes, story hours, sports, motion pictures and supervised play were some of the attractions offered. Girls' groups were supervised by Mrs. Charles A. Morse and Sam McElfresh supervised the boys.

Arraignment Set For Theft Suspect

At the preliminary hearing in Monrovia Justice Court last Friday on a burglary and grand theft charge, Homer Anson Paffenbarger was bound over to Pasadena Superior Court and arraignment set for April 29. Bail was continued at \$5000.

The charge against Paffenbarger was brought by Clarence Earl Brundy, 498 Woodland Drive, who asserted that Paffenbarger had entered his home and removed property valued at \$700. Paffenbarger had fled to San Francisco and was apprehended by police there and returned to Sierra Madre.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Mutter of 363 1/2 Sycamore Place announce the birth of a son, April 11. He has been named John Alan. Mrs. Mutter was the former June Hedin, nurse in Dr. Peterson's office.

Nursery School

From page one
yard and the Woman's Club, the Civic Club and Consero Club also made donations.

Additional equipment has been provided through fundraising activities of the Association, and by parents who have provided time, materials and skill to build large equipment and toys. Regular Saturday work days are held each month when fathers of pupils in the school give a day a month for repairing and building equipment and improving play yards.

A mother-teacher arrangement was set up to provide adequate supervision and teaching for the children. Each mother gives at least one day a month as a teacher. Mrs. Green trains the mother-teachers and is in constant supervision. One additional trained assistant, Mrs. Alice Tyson, is employed. A registered nurse, Mrs. Myrtle Randolph, checks the children on entrance each morning and governs health standards of the school.

The activities of the children are planned to provide alternate periods of physical activity and restful occupation. Mid-morning fruit juice is a daily treat. The little students do not just "play," according to Mrs. Green. They are obtaining valuable training in learning to live with other people, learning to take turns and in learning to develop as individuals and as part of the group.

Block-building, carpentry, sand boxes, climbing apparatus, a doll house and wheeled vehicles are all used for imitative play and muscular development. Music, clay, painting supplies and books are provided to foster creative development. Live animals such as turtles, lizards, rabbits and goldfish are in constant demand by the children.

The Nursery School is conducted three hours a day, five days a week, in informal, congenial surroundings. Minimum fees of 75 cents a day are charged. The school is open to all children from two to five years of age. The school is non-sectarian and non-profit-making.

The Association puts out a text book, "Handbook for Parents and Nursery School Teachers." The book was written by Mrs. Green and Dr. Elizabeth Woods, guidance and counseling supervisor for the Los Angeles City School System. To date the handbook has been distributed in 28 states and Alaska and Japan. It is used in leading universities and teacher-training schools.

Royalties from the sale of the book are transferred to a scholarship fund for the Sierra Madre Nursery School and are used to provide tuition for children who otherwise could not attend.

The Sierra Madre Association is a pioneer in the field of co-operative nursery school education, and educators and interested groups throughout the country are watching its development. Mrs. Molly Morganroth, President of the Southern California Nursery School Association has stated that "all California is watching the development of the Sierra Madre Community Nursery School."

The current Board of Trustees consists of Mrs. Robert Bettencourt, Mrs. C. H. Brown, Jr., Duane Ericson, Mrs. Marion Gale, Don Jackson, Dr. Nathan Jacobs, William Kinney, Mrs. Robert Nash, George Park, Philip Saurenman, Mrs. Howell White, Jr., and Mrs. Dorothy Tiller.

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Sierra Madre Ladies Hostesses Tomorrow At Nixon Lecture

The Foothill Towns Unit of Pro America has completed arrangements for an open meeting to be held at the Arcadia Woman's Club at 3:00 p. m., April 22 for the purpose of hearing the Washington report of Richard Nixon, Congressman from the 12th district.

Mrs. E. O. Lowell, chairman of the hospitality committee, has appointed as hostesses from Sierra Madre Mesdames J. Baxter Jouvenat, Cloyd Bland, Alexander Black, Ralph M. Jones, Fred H. Morgan and Noren Eaton.

Refreshments will be served.

SAN GABRIEL GUESTS FOR SUNRISE SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Naef of San Gabriel, were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stewart of 43 Vista Circle Drive. All attended the Wistaria Sunrise Service. Mrs. Stewart who is a native daughter, said it was the most beautiful Easter Service she has ever attended. The Stewarts purchased the home in which they have been living for some time a few days ago and expect to make Sierra Madre their home. They moved here from Pasadena.

This is to be one of four scheduled meetings to be addressed by Mr. Nixon in the Los Angeles Area. The public is invited.

Americanism Essay Prize Winners

Mrs. Lella Embree, Americanism chairman of the American Legion Auxiliary announced the winners in the annual Essay Contest sponsored by the local unit at the meeting held last Monday at the Quittner home.

St. Rita's—7th and 8th grades:
1st prize: Carolyn Maloney.
2nd prize: Susanne Sauter.
3rd prize: Eve Ann Eisler.
Public school—4, 5 and 6 Gr.:
1st prize: Barbara Hensley.
2nd prize: Dean Pennock.
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3rd prize: Bob Matter.
Mrs. Embree will award the prizes of \$3, \$2 and \$1 to the winners along with 15 certificates of Merit to the next best essays, at a public ceremony in the near future.

The essays of Carolyn Maloney and Barbara Hensley will be sent to the 18th District

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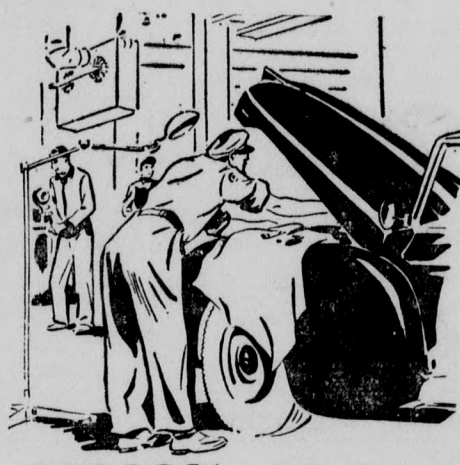
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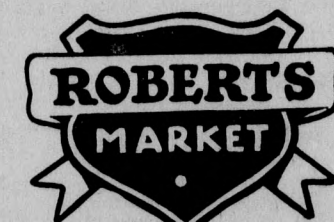
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